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*****UPDATE*****

ROADWORK NEAR OCEANO WILL INCLUDE HIGHWAY CLOSURE

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY – A project to repave and add guardrail near Oceano will begin Monday, July 10 on Hwy. 1 north of upper Halcyon Road to the Los Berros Creek Bridge (south intersection of Halcyon and Hwy. 1).

A 24 hour closure of Hwy. 1 north of the Halcyon stop light to the Los Berros Creek Bridge will be in effect Monday through Friday until the project is completed in September. The roadway will remain open each Saturday and Sunday.

Motorists may use Halcyon Road to continue north or south. The detour for trucks going north will be Division St. to Tefft St. to Hwy. 101 to Los Berros Road. They can also detour south in the opposite direction. Motorists may encounter a five to ten minute delay. Union Asphalt is the contractor for the \$374,000 project.

Caltrans reminds motorists to 'Slow for the Cone Zone'.

For traffic updates on other state highways in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit the District 5 website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upslo.htm>

